

I subscribe to Satellite radio because I can't get the type of programming I desire from normal broadcast radio. I am disgusted with broadcast radio AM/FM and the ever increasing amount of commercials and poor choice of programming. I gladly pay for Satellite radio and urge you to reject NAB's petition 04-160. Perhaps if the broadcasters payed closer attention to the needs of the public instead of the amount of commercials they can air in an hour things might be different. The broadcasters market may be eroding but you must ask yourself WHY? Satellite radio is a superior product and as a paid service should be exempt from any restrictions on local programming. It's time for the government to let the free enterprise system work the way it was intended. If I find a better product or service I should be allowed to purchase it and not be restricted by an organization of companies that is too lazy to compete. The NAB petition has no merit and should be rejected without further discussion.